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RADIO-EQUIPPED KOLKHOZES INCREASE

In Moscow Oblast in 1948, 1,009 kolkhozes were radio-equipped, more than 60,000 loudspeakers and radio receivers were installed, and 2,000 kilometers of new transmission lines were erected. Twelve rayons of Moscow Oblast were completely radio-equipped. Radiofication of all kolkhozes of the oblast is to be completed by 1951.

The workers of Sverdlovsk Oblast have pledged to complete the radiofication of all kolkhozes of the oblast in 1949 - 1950.

The plan for radiofication of villages of Kursk Oblast calls for construction of 81 receiver-PA systems, the installation of 68,000 loudspeakers, and 24,500 radio receivers in the first 6 months of 1949. This should make possible the radiofication of 1,000 kollektives.

Workers of the Yelets'kiy Factory, the Ministry of Industries of Communication Materials, have pledged to produce as many batteries as are necessary to complete the radiofication of Orlov Oblast. Workers of the Omsk Radio Factory imeni Kozitskiy have pledged to achieve radiofication of Pavlograd and Kormilov rayons. Two new receiver-PA systems will be constructed in Levashin and Medege in Levashin Rayon. This will increase the radio network by 1,200 speakers.

In 1948, 27 receiver-PA systems were constructed and 8,000 speakers were installed in homes of kolkhoz workers in Voronezh Oblast. Liskinsk Rayon will be completely radio-equipped in 1949. Eight receiver-PA systems will be constructed there. In Liskinsk Rayon, the workers of the receiver-PA system in the Kazink railroad station have installed 1,200 speakers in the kolkhozes.

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